introducing liquified lipstick composition into the volume generally corresponding to the lipstick core and solidifying the lipstick composition to form the lipstick core;

providing a second mold having an internal volume generally corresponding to the lip cosmetic;

positioning the lipstick core into the internal volume generally corresponding to the lip cosmetic, leaving a lip liner volume; and

introducing liquified lip liner composition into the lip liner volume and solidifying the lip liner composition to form the coating of lip liner around the lipstick core;

wherein the liquified lip liner composition has a higher melting point than the lipstick composition.

## **REMARKS**

Applicant has amended claims 1, 15 and 17 to recite that the lip liner composition has a higher melting point than the lipstick composition. Support for these amendments may be found throughout the specification. See, e.g., page 12, lines 8-11.

None of the amendments adds new matter. Their entry is requested.

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## APPENDIX OF AMENDMENTS

- 1. (Amended) A lip cosmetic comprising:
  - (1) an elongated lipstick core; and
- (2) an outer layer of lip liner around the periphery of the lipstick core, wherein the lipstick core comprises at least about 50% by weight of the lip cosmetic and wherein the composition of the lip liner has a higher melting point than the composition of the lipstick core.
- 15. (Amended) A method for preparing a lip cosmetic comprising an elongated lipstick core and an outer layer of lip liner around the periphery of the elongated lipstick core comprising:

providing a mold having an internal volume generally corresponding to the exterior shape of the lip cosmetic;

inserting into the mold a lipstick core mandrel having a shape generally corresponding to the shape of the lipstick core, leaving a lip liner volume; introducing liquified lip liner composition into the lip liner volume and solidifying the lip liner composition to form what becomes the coating of lip liner; removing the lipstick core mandrel from the mold leaving a lipstick core volume; and

introducing liquified lipstick composition into the lipstick core volume and solidifying the lipstick composition;

wherein the liquified lip liner composition has a higher melting point than the lipstick composition.

17. (Amended) A method for preparing a lip cosmetic comprising an elongated lipstick core and an outer layer of lip liner around the periphery of the lipstick core comprising:

providing a first mold having an internal volume generally corresponding to the lipstick core;

introducing liquified lipstick composition into the volume generally corresponding to the lipstick core and solidifying the lipstick composition to form the lipstick core;

providing a second mold having an internal volume generally corresponding to the lip cosmetic;

positioning the lipstick core into the internal volume generally corresponding to the lip cosmetic, leaving a lip liner volume; and

introducing liquified lip liner composition into the lip liner volume and solidifying the lip liner composition to form the coating of lip liner around the lipstick core;

wherein the liquified lip liner composition has a higher melting point than the lipstick composition.